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Temperature Record.

	1918	1917
Maximum	31	61
Minimum	9	19
Mean	20	30

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Irene Crawford, who resigned as commercial teacher in the high school to accept a similar position in the schools at Seattle, Wash., was tendered a farewell party on Thursday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Moore by senior commercial students. During the evening, Miss Crawford was presented with a handsome silk umbrella and a beautiful dorian box. The evening was delightfully spent at cards, various other games and music. At a late hour a delicious luncheon was served. The junior commercial students presented Miss Crawford with a ring, with ruby setting, while a number of other teachers, located at the same rooming place gave her a fountain pen. During her three years' course of teaching in the city high school Miss Crawford made many friends by whom she was held in high esteem. She was actively engaged in Red Cross work. With the aid of the students and others she secured the service flag adorning the walls of the new high school auditorium.

The first annual reception of the Unity Fraternity, given at the Colonial Inn last night was a big success, between 20 and 25 couples being present. The dance took place in the ballroom, which was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting of national colors. At one end of the room a service flag containing two stars in honor of James Barr and Dewey Miller, two members of the fraternity who are at Camp Hancock, was hung. Dancing prevailed from 8:30 until 1:00 o'clock. Kiefer's orchestra played. Out of town guests present were: Miss Mary Porter, of Dawson; Miss Margaret Herron, of Uniontown; Miss Agnes Houtzdale, and Miss Moorehead of Zanesville, O.; Thomas Zimmerman of Dawson and Lisle Flickinger, of Homer City.

Donation Day yesterday at the Methodist Slavic Training school in Uniontown, was attended by many visitors who assembled to see and hear how the girls of the foreign countries are taking the advantage of the wonderful opportunities afforded them in this country. Virtually everyone attending contributed towards the donation. There were canned fruits and vegetables, breakfast foods of all kinds, jellies, soap, towels, tablecloths, bed sheets and groceries of a great variety. The students numbering fourteen, eight of whom are in the graduating class, sang several national songs, representing Bohemia, Austria-Hungary, Russia, Poland and Slavonia.

The regular meeting of the J. O. C. Junior class of the First Methodist Episcopal church was held last evening at the home of the teacher, Miss Helen Carroll, in South Prospect street.

The monthly business and social meetings of the P. O. N. and Onward classes of the Methodist Protestant church were held last evening in the church. Each class held a separate meeting. Refreshments were served.

Women of the Methodist Protestant church will meet all day Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Cyrus Critchfield in East Apple street, to sew for the Red Cross.

Three tables were in play at the regular meeting of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Whist Club at which Mrs. J. L. Evans was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home in Lincoln avenue. Following the games, luncheon was served.

The Priscilla Sewing Club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. John Chamberlain at her home in North First street, West Side. The afternoon was spent at knitting for the Navy League. The regular meetings of the club are always devoted to knitting for the sailors and on two afternoons of each week, the members meet to sew for the Red Cross. Next Wednesday, the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Whistler at East Conneltsville and on Thursday afternoon the sewing will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Sparks at Poplar Grove. All women of the neighborhood are invited to assist in the work. Quite a number of women who are not members of the club, have been assisting in the Red Cross work and their services are greatly appreciated. Following the knitting yesterday afternoon, a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess, Mrs. C. W. Sprick, will entertain the club at its next meeting.

On account of the death of Edward Mayer Marshall this regular meeting of the Women's Club will be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. P. Clark in Lincoln avenue instead of the home of Mrs. J. A. Lyon, Conneltsville. Mrs. Clark will be the hostess.

Mrs. Arthur Nemom entertained the Four Hundred Club of Dunbar last evening at her home in Ninth street, Greenwood. Fancywork and knitting were the amusements and a most delightful time was had. Delicious refreshments were served. Miss Sarah Everett will entertain the club Friday evening, February 2, at her home in Gibson avenue.

A sum of \$105 was realized from the dance held Wednesday night in the Cochran banquet hall at Dawson for the benefit of the Red Cross. J. G. Gruen won a ten pound box of candy, Mrs. George Levergood the cake walk and Harry Percy and Miss Helen Ryan, both of Conneltsville, the prize walk.

The fourth of the series of dances

by the Elks' Social club set for January 30 has been called off.

Mrs. Irvin Shumaker entertained the Busy Twelve Club last evening at her home in Eighth street, Greenwood. Dainty refreshments were served and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

PERSONALS.
Harry L. Mitchell of Pittsburg, is visiting at the home of his father-in-law, Charles Davidson in North Pittsburg street.

The best place to shop after all, Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.
Harold Richey is home from Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., on a furlough. Evangelistic meetings next week at United Presbyterian church every night except Saturday night.—Adv.—18-19.

Harry Dunn has gone to Meadville to visit his daughter, Miss Harriet Dunn, a student at Allegheny college. Hear Evangelist Nairn next week at United Presbyterian church. Stirring message, good music.—Adv.—18-19.

Miss Bertha Powell and Miss Elizabeth Evans have returned from a visit with Mrs. Harry Hamilton at McKeesport.

Glasses fitted without the use of drops or drugs. Dr. A. L. Tucker, Optometrist, 105 South Pittsburg street.—Adv.—18-17-16.

Mrs. James Cox of Mount Pleasant and Mrs. Harry Porter and baby of Scotland, have returned home after a visit with Mrs. Porter's mother, Mrs. J. D. Percy of West Peach street. "Ye Old Time Festival." Lots of good music. Everybody invited. Wednesday evening, February 6, Odd Fellows' Temple, South Pittsburg street. Admission 10 cents.—Adv.—18-17.

Mrs. Alice Connell, of McKeesport, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Evans in Lincoln avenue.

A worthwhile speaker, Evangelist Nairn, at United Presbyterian church next week.—Adv.—18-19.

Miss Helen Sherrick is spending the week-end with friends at Beaver college, Beaver.

When your eyes trouble you see Dr. A. L. Tucker, Optometrist, 105 South Pittsburg street.—Adv.—18-17-16.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howard, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. J. W. Stagner and children of Dallas, Texas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Leib, of South Conneltsville. Mrs. Stagner is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leib.

Midwinter clearance sale of millinery, including some of the season's most desirable styles, at specially low prices. At McFarland's, Apple street.—Adv.—17-18-19.

Mrs. Paul Teichert, of Vanderburg, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. I. Creighton, who is ill at her home near Ruffs Dale.

PARTY FOR SOLDIER
Perryopolis Home Scene of Enjoyable Gathering of Young Folks.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hall at Perryopolis was the scene of a very enjoyable party given by their daughter, Miss Dena Hall, in honor of her fiancé, Mr. T. Duff of the Ordnance department, while home from Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., on a furlough. The evening was spent in renewing friendships and playing various games. A number of musical numbers were delightful features of the evening. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. The following were present: Misses Mary and Anna Duff, Alice Sully, Fern Carson, Clara Hixenbaugh, Garnet Jones, Anna Larson, Maude and Ruth Carson, Paul Hixenbaugh, William Baker, David Jones, Alpha Weimer, William and Allan G. Carson, all of Perryopolis; Helen Cole of Meadville; Jane Wood of Dunbar; Helen Strickler of Scotland; Catherine Barr of Swinsvale; and Wilmer Wyod of Pennsylvania. Mr. Duff has returned to Camp Lee.

ELKS DEFEAT B. & O.
Easily Won Game By Big Score, Final Result Being 38-17.

The Elks basketball team easily defeated the Baltimore & Ohio team on the Macabee floor last night, 38-17. The game was one-sided, the railroaders showing poor form. Manager Asha is determined to put a winning team on the floor for the Baltimore & Ohio and a shakeup in the ranks of his players is talked of.

Goodman of the Elks and Hannigan of the Baltimore & Ohio were both of form. Leggett made the big Elks score. Hannigan received an injury to the muscles of his left leg that may cause him to be out of some games for a couple of weeks.

COAL PRODUCTION IN STATE LAST YEAR WAS 267,735,000 TONS

Unprecedented Figures Shown in Summary Issued by Department of Mines at Harrisburg.

By Associated Press.
HARRISBURG, Jan. 19.—Pennsylvania production of coal during 1917 reached the unprecedented total of 267,735,000 net tons and if it had not been for abnormal conditions due to the war would have gone to nearly 300,000,000 tons, according to a summary of reports of the productions by districts issued today by Frank Hall, deputy chief of the state department of mines.

Mr. Hall says the production not only of anthracite and bituminous coal but the coke was above all previous records. He notes that in 1899 the production of anthracite was 8,000,000 tons; of bituminous 10,000,000 tons.

CONFERENCE OF FOOD DEALERS ON MONDAY CALLED BY DAVIDSON

County Administrator Wishes Attendance at Court House of Wholesale and Retail Dealers.

County Food Administrator Charles L. Davidson, of Uniontown, this morning issued a call for a meeting Monday at 2 o'clock in the small courtroom in Uniontown of all merchants of the county, wholesale and retail, to discuss the food situation.

Prices and supply will be discussed and the government regulations explained.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Start Tomorrow in United Presbyterian Church; Evangelist Coming.

Rev. R. W. Nairn, D. D., of New Concord, O., will begin evangelistic meetings in the United Presbyterian church tomorrow. Rev. Nairn will arrive in Conneltsville today, coming from Pittsburg where he has been conducting meetings in the Brookline United Presbyterian church.

A choir, under the leadership of Robert L. Werner, and a junior choir of thirty boys and girls will lead the singing at these meetings. The choir met last evening for organization and will be sure to do its part in contributing to the success of these services. Rev. Nairn has the reputation of being a mighty preacher. The public is invited to come and hear.

SUPERVISORS' MEETING

Called For Uniontown on Wednesday, January 23.

Payette county township road supervisors will meet in their fifth annual session in Uniontown on January 23, according to an announcement made yesterday. The sessions will be held in the court house; the morning session convening at 10 o'clock and the afternoon session at 1 o'clock.

SERGEANT "SLIM" LEAVES

Fred O. Garlitts 'Rejoins' Balloon Squadron in Omaha, Neb.

Fred O. Garlitts, popularly known among Baltimore & Ohio railroad men as "Old Slim," new a sergeant in Company C, 4th balloon squadron attached to the signal service corps of the aviation department of the United States army, will leave tonight for Fort Omaha, Omaha, Neb., after spending a short furlough here.

"Slim" expects to leave with his company for overseas duty soon. He has promised Assistant Superintendent Stone that he will bring back the Kaiser's scalp as a trophy to be hung in his office.

ELEVEN YEAR MARVEL

Wick Haven Boy Doing Bit For The Red Cross.

William Lucas, 11 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lucas, of Wick Haven, is surely doing his bit when it comes to knitting for the soldiers. In a month Milton knit two sweaters, one helmet, three pairs of socks and three pairs of wristlets for the Wick Haven Unit of the Perry Red Cross auxiliary.

Knitters Organize Units.

Fourteen units have been organized to knit for the Charleston Corners Branch of the Navy League as follows: Campfire Girls Unit No. 1; Martha Norton Bible Class Unit No. 2; Mrs. Caroline Cope Unit No. 3; Mrs. Rockwell Marietta Unit No. 4; Sergeant Charles McCormick Unit No. 5; Over There Unit No. 6; Athens Temple Unit No. 7; In His Name Unit No. 8; Tuesday Music Unit No. 9; Uniontown Unit No. 10; Waynesburg Unit No. 11; Point Marion Unit No. 12; Dunbar Unit No. 13; West Side Unit No. 14.

Injunction Case Heard.

Additional testimony was taken before Judge Reppert yesterday in the injunction proceedings between H. C. Frick Coke company and William Marietta to restrain the latter from mining out the coal from under several Conneltsville lots.

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The Grim Reaper

EDWARD HAYES MARSHALL.

Edward Hayes Marshall, 68 years old, owner of the Young Chemical company, died last evening at 5 o'clock at his home in Colonial apartments, South Pittsburg street, following an illness of about two months. While not unexpected, Mr. Marshall's death came very suddenly, his condition yesterday apparently being the same as usual. Funeral Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, with the Ionic Lodge F. & A. M., of which Mr. Marshall was a member, in charge. In the death of Mr. Marshall Conneltsville has lost one of its most widely known and prominent citizens. Mr. Marshall had resided in Conneltsville for the past 30 years and had devoted his time for a number of years to the interests of the Young Chemical company. Deceased was born at Hazel Dell, Pa., April 8, 1850, a son of John Hamilton and Jane Randolph Marshall. He was married to Miss Anna R. Lyon, whose death occurred May 20, 1897. He is survived by two children, Mrs. Robert Thomas, wife of Colonel Thomas, Engineers Corps, U. S. A., stationed at Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., and Sergeant John W. Marshall, 23rd Engineers, U. S. A., stationed near Washington, D. C.; one sister, Mrs. Joseph Wright of Elwood City, and two brothers, Thomas J. Marshall of West Middlesex, Pa., and William B. Marshall of Sharon, Pa. Mrs. Thomas, who was with her husband at Camp Pike, was called here by her father's illness and was with him when death came.

MRS. MARGARET O'LAUGHLIN.

Following brief illness of pneumonia, Mrs. Margaret O'Laughlin, 61 years old, wife of Stephen O'Laughlin, died last evening at her home at Leisnering No. 1. Funeral Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the family residence and at 9 o'clock from St. Vincent de Paul's Catholic church at Leisnering No. 1. Requiem high mass will be celebrated by Rev. Father Canova. Interment in St. Vincent de Paul's cemetery. Deceased was born in Ireland. She was a daughter of Michael and Margaret Griffin and for the past 35 years was a resident of Leisnering. In addition to her husband she is survived by the following children: Martin, Michael, Thomas, Stephen, a sergeant, located at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.; Daniel and Frank O'Laughlin, Mrs. Martin Muller, Mrs. Patrick Hannon and Miss Bridget O'Laughlin, at home. One sister, Mrs. John Whalen of Leisnering also survives. Deceased was widely and favorably known throughout Dunbar township and had a number of friends in Conneltsville. She was an aunt of Daniel Whalen, whose death occurred last Thursday morning, January 17.

MRS. EDNA W. BODKIN.

The body of Mrs. Edna Weir Bodkin, who was hospitalized in the Clyde Hotel, Dennison, O., accompanied by Raymond Walters, of Pittsburg, a cousin of the deceased, arrived at Dunbar from Dennison this morning at 4 o'clock and was removed by Funeral Director J. T. Burdians to the home of the grandmother of the deceased, Mrs. Hannah McClain, at Peebles. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the McClain residence, with Rev. Darnell, pastor of the Methodist Protestant church officiating. Interment in Mount Auburn cemetery. Relatives of Addison Shumate, who was also hospitalized, left today with the body for Birmingham, Ala., where the interment will be made.

R. & O. AT PT. MARION.

Will Play Fast Team at That Place Tonight.

The Baltimore & Ohio Clerks team is playing the fast Point Marion basketball team at that place tonight. The railroaders have a strong lineup to present to the "Mon" river city team.

The team left here on the 1:30 o'clock street car, going to Uniontown and taking a train from there.

Mothers' Deal.

Sergeant Stephen O'Laughlin arrived here this morning from Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., having been summoned to his home at Leisnering No. 1 by the death of his mother, Mrs. Stephen O'Laughlin.

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FEDERAL CONTROL OF RAIL TRAFFIC MEANS HEAVY LOSS TO STATE

Public Service Commissioner Estimates Pulling Off in Revenues Will Reach \$10,000,000.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 15.—A possible loss in the annual revenues of the state of \$10,000,000 brought to the public notice by Chairman W. D. B. Alney, of the Public Service Commission at Greensburg, last week, is startling and serious.

Such a loss following the Government ownership of railroad, now being seriously and plausibly advocated, would deprive the Commonwealth of one-fourth of its present total annual revenue, and would mean the curtailment of appropriation for schools, highways, health, hospitals and educational institutions, and would have to be met by increased state taxes levied upon farms, industries, etc.

The railroads now pay that sum into the State Treasury each year, and the loss must be measured by the interested public as against any theoretical advantages which government ownership would bring.

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Ladies' Hosiery, fast black, double heel and toe. Special Mill Remnant Sale Price 18 1-2c.

Percale, in American prints, 27 inches wide, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price 9 3-4c.

English Long Cloth, full 36 inches wide, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price 22 3-4c.

Outing Flannel, dark color, 27 inches wide, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price 16 3-4c.

Devonshire Cloth, checks and stripes, 32 inches wide, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price 23 1-2c.

Curtain Scrim, white, cream and ecru, 27 inches wide, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price 17 1-2c.

Blankets, double cotton, size 64x76, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price \$1.55.

Blankets, double cotton, heavy, size 68x80, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price \$2.29.

Blankets, double cotton, heavy, size 72x80, Special Mill Remnant Sale Price \$2.89.

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SCOTSDALE ELKS RECIPIENTS OF SERVICE BANNER

Presentation Made by Members of the Ladies Fancy Work Club.

EMBLEM BEARS TEN STARS

Women of Club Make Use of the Organization's Home for Sewing for the Red Cross and Are Doing Good Work; Other News Events of Day.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, Jan. 18.—The Ladies' Fancy Work Club of Scottdale surprised the local lodge of Elks last evening when 30 of them presented themselves at the Elks' home on Pittsburg street and Mrs. G. E. Huttlinger, in behalf of the club, presented the Elks with a beautiful service flag containing 10 stars. "America" rang out on the air after the presentation and finally every voice in the room had taken it up and was singing. James Keegan, in a very eloquent address, accepted the flag, telling the ladies how the Elks appreciated it and during his address he recited a piece of poetry which was soundly applauded. Short talks of appreciation of the flag were given by J. P. Owens, James Bates, C. F. Lewis, Edward Anderson and Thomas J. Hill. C. H. Loucks, a Spanish-American war veteran, spoke in optimistic vein concerning the present war situation. At the close of these talks, three cheers were given for the unit presenting the Elks with the flag. The 10 stars on the flag are for Sergeant A. L. Byrne, 110th Supply Company, Lieutenant John J. Kennedy, Company E, 110th Regiment; C. W. Cunningham, band, 110th Regiment; Judson T. Van Horn, Company E, 110th Regiment, Camp Hancock, Augusta, Georgia; Lieutenant G. A. Wilson, Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio; William McLain, Company E, 120th Infantry, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.; Frank P. Miller, Company E, 320th Regiment, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.; V. H. Galt, Company 75, Military Branch, Norfolk, Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.; Lieutenant C. W. McKee, Port Ogeethorpe, Georgia; Jack W. Bates, Company 13, Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill.; Signal Corps. After the talks, ice cream, cake and coffee were served. Mrs. E. A. Keller gave a piano solo, and C. F. Lewis in his inimitable manner recited "Old Ace." To say that the Elks were delighted with their flag is expressing it mildly. The unit presenting the Elks with the flag sews each Wednesday at the Elks home for the Red Cross and are doing excellent work for the local auxiliary and Chapter.

Miss Jeanie Becker entertained at her Brownstone home on Thursday evening with a goose dinner for her friends. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Leo Thomas, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas, is dead at his home. Funeral services were held this afternoon in St. John's church and interment was made in St. John's cemetery.

Infant Dies. John Brozanski, aged six months, is dead at his home. Funeral services were held at St. Joseph's church this morning and interment was made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Wanted.—We are in position to offer an exceptional opportunity to an industrious and ambitious man in a business located prominently in Scottdale. Write application in your own hand writing stating whether or not you will be willing to spend 2 or 3 weeks away from home to learn fundamentals of the business. Give references and position held last. Address "Business," care Courier, Advt. 17-12.

Basketball Game. The Phy-Mo basketball team defeated the Y. M. C. A. Seniors at the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday evening in a benefit game for the Red Cross Supply Fund by a score of 19 to 21. The team work of the Phy-Mo club was the feature of the entire game. Twenty dollars was cleared on the game and the club by a vote added five dollars to the twenty so that they could give the local auxiliary the amount they had planned, \$25. The line up:

Y. M. C. A. — Phy-Mo: Miller, F., Capt. Humes, Steelsmith, F., Freeman, Bloom, C., Porter, Sumner, G., Murphy, Carlin, G. — Subst. — Newman, Hunter, Lester, Hamilton and Gordon. Field goals: Miller 1; Steelsmith, 2; Bloom, 2; Newman, 2; Bures, 2; Freeman, 1; Porter, 2; and Murphy 2. Foul goals: Miller 2 out of 3; Steelsmith, 2 out of 3; Humes, 7 out of 16.

Personal Mention. Miss Mary J. Trout investigator of Mothers' Pensions of Greensburg was here yesterday making investigation. Mrs. John Ritchie and Mrs. George Ferguson spent Thursday with Dawson's friends.

J. I. Murphy and son have received another four ton furniture truck, made up in gold and white.

WEST PENN. WINS. South Connellsville Bowling Team Defeated on Local Alleys.

The West Penn bowling team defeated the South Connellsville rollers on the West Penn alleys last night, winning by 164 pins. The West Penn total was 2,077 and the South Connellsville sextet scored 1,913 points. Doc Miller of South Connellsville rolled the high individual score making 183. A match game between Doc Miller and W. J. Enslor, rolled on the West Penn alleys last night, was won by the latter by 23 pins. Baller's score was 422 and Miller's 394.

Try our classified advertisements.

LIFE IN MICHIGAN AT 27 BELOW ZERO IS REAL SOLDIERING

Connellsville Boy, Writing to His Mother, Relates Interesting News of Camp Custer.

Soldier life in Michigan, with the temperature nearly 30 degrees below zero, is vastly different from that the majority of Connellsville boys in the service are enjoying in the South. In a letter to his mother, Mrs. E. E. Coleman, of 522 Morrell avenue, West Side, William Coleman, who is stationed at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., relates the experiences of last week's blizzard. In a postscript under date of January 12 he said the temperature at 9 o'clock P. M., was 27 below zero and still going down. The remainder, written before that time, follows:

"I must write and tell you about this terrible weather we are having. I believe it is the coldest and the worst blizzard I ever experienced. It started to snow yesterday afternoon and kept getting worse, although last evening it was pretty fair, only snowing a little but along towards morning, I suppose about 2 or 3 o'clock, it got cold, and none of us was looking for anything like that so we almost froze, but when we got up our clothes and beds and everything else were simply covered with snow. My bunk is in a corner between two windows, so I got a large part of the snow. I woke up when the snow started to blow in my face and closed the windows, but it blew in just the same, the barracks was cold, too, and it was a good thing it was, too, for the snow didn't melt on our clothes and beds and make them wet. I was just over to the barracks and everything is white around my bed and I have cleaned it away several times. All we have done today is sweep snow and block windows, and it is still blowing for all it is worth."

It is reported that one of the guards near our section of the camp froze to death. They went out to relieve him at 6 A. M., and he could not be found, and I understand they have not found him yet. If he was to be relieved at 6 A. M., then he went out at 4 A. M. Two hours is their time out and four hours off for a 24 hour period. We were remarking to ourselves, this morning how we would hate to be on guard. You know we don't have any of that. I think a man out in this kind of weather two hours is enough to freeze any one. It is also reported that one of the men in the Remount Depot, in other words the receiving stables for the animals, froze to death. He was on watch. They say they have found him. It is blowing and snowing so hard that you can not see a foot ahead of you or in fact you can't raise your head and face it. I am told it is 22 degrees below zero and it feels to me even worse than that.

"I was out most all morning and had quite a little walk. I had on two helmets, one of these big scarfs, three sweaters and overcoat but no blouse, a pair of heavy woolen socks and a pair of light wool overshoes, a pair of wristlets and gloves and leather lined mittens. I kept pretty warm all except my nose and really I thought I lost it, and my eye lashes would freeze shut and I would have to stop and loosen them once in a while."

"I don't suppose we will receive any mail for a week now. That is the way it was last week after that storm we had. There are very few trains coming into Battle Creek and what do get in can't get out. I understand there are several trains just outside the city that are stalled, and there are very few trains coming from the west."

"Well, mother, outside of the big storm there is nothing doing. Everything is very quiet and everybody stays inside, so I guess that is all I have for you this time. I am well and enjoying life and everything is as usual."

"It is 9 P. M. now and 27 degrees below and still going down. The guards are only one hour at a time. Two more of them were frozen. We have plenty of blankets, so we needn't worry."

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPILE, Jan. 18.—Miss Ada Morris of near Pittsburg, arrived here yesterday to spend over Sunday at her home near here.

Miss Anna Williams of Kentucky, spent Friday shopping in town.

Mrs. Sadie Joseph of Bear Run, spent yesterday shopping in town.

Mrs. Harrison Taylor has returned from a short visit spent with her parents at Edwell.

Edward Marsh was a Pittsburg caller yesterday.

Read The Daily Courier.

Mrs. John Leonard spent Friday calling on Ohio friends.

Miss Jane Linderman spent Friday at Sipes visiting relatives.

Miss Thelma Rush spent yesterday calling on friends near Sipes.

Homer Jeffries of Stewarton, was a caller in town Thursday evening.

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50,000,000 have used this 25-year-old remedy. For chronic catarrh, sore nose, cough, cold, sneezing, croup, etc. Write for complimentary card or buy tube at drug store. It will benefit you more than any other remedy. Or we pay money back. For trial card free write to KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY.

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Starting Monday, January 21st, and every Monday thereafter until March 25th, inclusive, the Aaron store will be closed.

Our many patrons and friends can assist us in meeting Fuel Administrator Garfield's request to conserve fuel by arranging to do their shopping during the latter five days of each week.

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Help Win the War— Buy Thrift Stamps

Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificate Stamps, offered by the U. S. Government, enable every man, woman and child in the country to help win the war—

Anybody who has a quarter—25 cents—can invest in a Stamp and 16 Stamps plus 12 cents, or \$4.12 purchases a War Savings Certificate Stamp which the Government will redeem for \$5.00—

It is simple—safe—profitable and patriotic—a splendid investment.

Come in for full particulars.

First National Bank

Connellsville, Pa.

Pechin.

PECHIN, Jan. 18.—Luther Miller, James Miller, Walter Carr, Clarence Cole, Leona Miller, Margaret Lehman, Benjamin Keffer, Richard Keffer and Harry R. Senor of Keffer Station, and D. T. Provance, Jr., Orville Tenaglia, Clarence Ball, John Tenaglia, Philip McClain, Charles DeWitt of Pechin, attended the Senior Class play of the Dunbar township high school at Leisoring, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. McClain of Keffer Station are the proud parents of an eight and three-quarter pound baby girl.

Miss Margaret Senor of Keffer Station, who has been sick for a few days, is able to attend school again this week.

Miss Della Markley of Keffer Station was at Uniontown on business last Saturday.

Miss Gladys Miller, who has been employed as stenographer for the Brier Hill Coke company at Brier Hill, was visiting the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miller of Keffer Station over Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Burns of Keffer Station was at Connellsville shopping and calling this week.

Mrs. John McGarry of Church Hill has taken ill of typhoid fever. She is doing nicely.

Mr. John Riley of Pechin Station was at Connellsville shopping and calling Tuesday.

Miss Leora Hughes of Edenboro, who has been visiting her many friends at Keffer and Pechin stations, was taken ill here last week and was unable to return home until this morning.

Mrs. Charles W. Baker and Miss Anna Kelley of Pechin were at Scottdale visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Lillian Coughenour, for a few days. They returned home Saturday morning.

Richard Keffer of Keffer Station, Courier's Pechin newsy, has recovered from an attack of quinsy, and is able to attend school.

Mrs. Hannah McClain of Keffer Station and granddaughter, Olive Wier, also of that place were at Connellsville shopping and calling on friends this week.

Mrs. James Leaphine of Keffer Station is on the sick list.

On account of the slippery ice covering the roads and paths, many people from Ferguson station, Keffer station and Pechin station, were more or less injured from falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miller and family of Mahoning were visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole of Keffer Station Saturday, where they were compelled to stay until Wednesday on account of the big storm and bad condition of the roads.

Herbert (Mike) Baker of Pechin station has accepted a job at the American Manganese Manufacturing company's plant at Ferguson. He has been sick for some time and had resigned his position with the United Fire Brick company. He is now able to be at work again.

their home in Camden, N. J., this week. They were here about three and a half weeks and greatly enjoyed their stay.

Mrs. Charles W. Baker and Mrs. Thomas T. Kelley, of Pechin station, were at Connellsville shopping and visiting Thursday.

William Brown, who was rejected because of heart trouble arrived home from Camp Hancock Monday afternoon and was cordially welcomed by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brown of Pechin and other friends.

W. M. Jacobs, former manager of the now defunct United Supply store at Pechin, and who had been employed with the Wright-Metzler company at their Connellsville store, has resigned the latter place and accepted a clerkship with the Dunbar Supply company. His new position is much handier for him and this is appreciated by his friends here.

Dawson.

DAWSON, Jan. 18.—H. T. Cochran was a business caller in Uniontown Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Moore was a Connellsville caller yesterday.

Mrs. Frank E. Bloss was visiting friends in Duquesne Thursday. Mr. Bloss has bought property in Duquesne and will move there in the near future.

Mrs. Charles Gail was the guest of friends in West Newton Thursday.

Earl Porter was a business caller at Vanderhill Friday.

Joseph H. Henderson of Vanderhill was a business caller at Uniontown Friday.

A Green is seriously ill at his home in North Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Manning spent Thursday in Pittsburg.

Charles J. McCall was transacting business in Connellsville Friday.

At a recent meeting of the horsemen at Pittsburg at which Harry Cochran attended, Dawson was given the week of September commencing September 24th. Dawson wanted an earlier date but will make a bid next year for it. Some interesting races are pulled off in the office of the Dawson house during the winter when H. T. Cochran, Otto Hines, Dr. J. P. Hill the snow clears away, and the steppers. They are all waiting till the snow clears away, and the warm weather rolls around, so they can see the races in action once more.

Hunting Bargains? You will find them in our ad. columns.

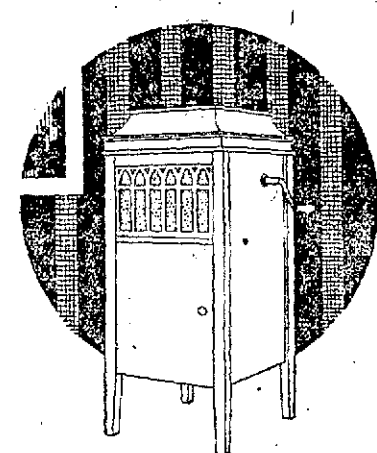
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These features alone are enough to convince you that the Pathephone is the ONLY talking machine it pays to buy for your home.

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Convenient terms, if desired.

"Hits" for February
are here have you
heard them?

All of the celebrated Pathe Artists are at your command—featuring the latest song "hits."

Come to Aaron's
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Blame It On Poor Old Father (Humorous Song) Billy Williams
3027B—When You Come Home (Squire) Jean Sterling, Contralto, with Lyric Trio
Your Flag and Country Want You Jean Sterling, Contralto
3004B—Humoresque (Dvorak) Viola Solo, Jacques Thibaud, Piano Accompaniment
Romance (Swendson) Viola Solo, Jacques Thibaud, Piano Accompaniment
3024—Leave It To Jane (Wodehouse-Kern) Medley Fox Trot American Republic Band
Umbrellas to Mend (Kaufman) One Step, American Republic Band
4019B—Harry Lauder's Favorite Songs (Lauder) Hedley
3125 Selection American Regimental Band Scottish Country Dance "Petronella" Highland Orchestra
3027C—Somewhere in France Is the Lily (Howard) Thomas Conkley, Baritone
Daddy Found You Down Beside the Garden Wall (Olman) Harry McCluskey
3025B—Naijso (Hillman) Louise & Fernan Waikiki Orchestra
3025C—One, Two, Three, Four (Alau) Irene Greenus, with Louise & Fernan Hawaiian Orchestra

These are just a few of the selections we know you'll enjoy—played in our Pathephone Department, conveniently located, Main Floor.

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AFTERNOON GOWN OF SATIN SUGGESTIVE OF THE GREEK



Here is an afternoon gown fashioned in helio satin, with an overdrape of blue silk net exquisitely embroidered in silver. The line of the gown suggests strongly the new Grecian influence which is a popular feature of the season. As finishing the spray of laurel leaves in cloth of metal serves very appropriately.

PERFECT CONFIDENCE

Connellsville People Have Good Reason For Complete Reliance.

Do you know how—
To find relief from headache?
To correct distressing bladder ills?
To assist weak kidneys?
Your neighbors know the way—
Have used Doan's Kidney Pills;
Have proved their worth in many tests.

Here's Connellsville testimony: Mrs. T. H. Edwards, 412 Francis Ave., says: "I did some heavy lifting and a few days after I began to have sharp pains in the small of my back. I felt sure that it was my kidneys and I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Markell's Drug Store. After I had used one box, the pain left. I feel sure that Doan's Kidney Pills have cured me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Edwards had. Foster-McBarn Co., Props, Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

New Year's Resolutions: "I will have all my printing done in Connellsville this year." The Courier will be glad to quote prices to you.

When You Want Anything Advertise in our Classified Column.

Notice to Natural Gas Consumers

Inquiries from natural gas consumers as to the classification of natural gas under Fuel Administrator Garfield's Fuel Order are answered by Mr. John C. Barbour, Fayette county fuel administrator, who prepared the following abstract of the Fuel Administration Order for the guidance of Fayette County industries. This abstract, of course, is subsequent to additional instructions which may be received by Mr. Barbour:

Public schools are exempted from the order.

Office buildings may be heated during the five day period to prevent freezing, but on the Monday holiday they must be closed.

A plant can be heated to prevent injury to its contents but not operated.

Mondays will be holidays just as is Sunday and all stores and shops except drug stores, dentists' and physicians' offices must remain closed all day. Grocery stores may remain open until 12 o'clock noon, and only the grocery department of stores dealing in other merchandise are thus allowed to remain open for the half day period.

Theaters will be required to close on the 10 Mondays and not during the next five days.

During the five days designated no manufacturing industry shall be allowed to operate even if it has coal supply on hand. By this means all industries will be placed on an equal footing and each will be called upon to make its share of the sacrifice.

No fuel shall be burned in buildings where liquor is sold on the Monday holidays. That order applies to hotels, saloons and clubs.

Natural gas is classed as fuel and as such comes under the order of the fuel administrator.

Manufacturers of bread, pies, cakes, milk, cold storage warehouses and flour mills are specially exempted from the order.

As a company supplying gas in the counties of Greene, Fayette and Westmoreland, Pennsylvania, we present the above for the guidance of our consumers. We request our consumers to comply accordingly.

FAYETTE COUNTY GAS COMPANY.

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NEW BURGESS PUTS HIS FOOT DOWN HARD ON ROWDY CONDUCT

Mount Pleasant Executive Imposes Stiff Fines for Disorder on Streets.

WILL NOT TOLERATE INSULTS

Annual Dedication Day to be Observed at Memorial Hospital Monday Afternoon. Other Items of Interest Gathered by Courier Correspondent.

Special to The Courier

MOUNT PLEASANT, Jan. 19—A crowd of young people who came to town Thursday evening imbued with the idea that they might do as the pleased were brought to a new understanding of how a town is run when four of seven in the party were haled before Burgess Sam P. Stevens at the borough building yesterday and fined \$5 each by the executive. The boys objected and declared they had been dealt with unjustly but the Burgess was emphatic in assuring them that during his tenure rowdiness is not going to be tolerated. Unless the three other boys appear very soon, warrants will be issued for them and they will be brought before the Burgess for a hearing. The crowd are in the habit of coming into Mt. Pleasant and singing and swearing and have gone so far as to insult women on the streets. Police Chief Robert Smith and Police Officers Howells and Hoke have been instructed by the Burgess that boisterous singing and swearing on the street and passing remarks about or speaking to women they do not know in an insulting manner must be stopped.

Mrs. Mary Krouse.
Mrs. Mary Krouse aged 21 years died at the Memorial hospital. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon in the Greek Catholic cemetery at Trauger.

Donation Day.
The annual donation day will be observed at the local hospital on Monday from two until five in the afternoon and visitors will be taken through the house. In the evening donations will be received but no visitors are allowed through the house.

War Mission Service.
The War Mission services were held last evening at the United Brethren church and were in charge of the Rev. A. P. Kelso, pastor of the Middle Presbyterian church.

BURNS, CUTS, BRUISES

San Cura Ointment Relieves Pain, Draws Out Poison and Heals Promptly.

There is no better remedy for burns, cuts and bruises than the antiseptic and healing ointment called San Cura. Every person ought to have a jar on hand. It is the first and best aid to the injured in case of accident, and is the ideal remedy for so many other distressing and painful ailments besides.

For example, it is guaranteed by Laughey Drug Co., Connelville, Broadway Drug Co., Scottdale to relieve itching, bleeding and protruding piles, eczema, tetter, ulcers, salt rheum, boils, carbuncles and pimples, or money back.

In case of old running sores no matter how long standing, a few poultices of San Cura Ointment will draw out the poison, and leave them in such a thoroughly aseptic condition that they will heal promptly.

We advise every dealer to get a jar of San Cura Ointment today, and keep it ready for an accident or emergency that may happen. 30 cents, 50c cents and \$1.20 at Laughey Drug Co., Connelville, Broadway Drug Co., Scottdale on the money-back plan.

SOAP FOR THE SCALP.

San Cura Soap is delightful for shampooing, because it is full of antiseptic properties that banish the germs of dandruff and other impurities from the scalp. It removes pimples and blackheads, too. 25 cents a cake at Laughey Drug Co., Connelville, Broadway Drug Co., Scottdale.

If your druggist doesn't keep it send to the Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.—adv.

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, Jan. 19—John W. Dils died at his home here Friday morning, aged 77 years. While he had been in feeble health for some time, his death was unexpected. His widow, who was Fanny Crow daughter of Judge Alexander Crow and the following children survive: Charles, of Nicholson township, Gilbert, of New Salem, Pa., of Scottdale. Mrs. Chas. McDermott of Ronco, Mary and Eva at home, also one brother Leander Dils, of Old Frame, and one sister Mrs. Hannah Moser, of Ruble. The funeral will be Sunday at 1 p. m. at the Old Frame church. Interment will be in the Old Frame cemetery.

Mrs. Frank Buckley, of High House, who died Wednesday from injuries sustained in a fall at her home Monday, was buried in the Baptist cemetery here today. Rev. Paul Elliott conducted services in the Presbyterian church preceding the interment. Mrs. Buckley was 47 years of age.

Dr. J. D. Howard and wife of Oquon, Pa., were business visitors in town Friday. The doctor having seen a press item that this community was being called to army service, was being called to a physician here with a view of locating in our midst.

J. H. Miller, of Ruble, was a visitor Friday. He drove over in a sleigh. J. N. O'Neill, mine foreman for the Prospect coal company is on duty with a severe cold.

Mrs. Clyde Jones who has been spending several days visiting her sister Mrs. Frank Watson at Onondaga returned to her home here Friday. She was accompanied by her husband and a few friends.

At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"WHEN A MAN SEES RED"—A great Fox Standard production in which William Farnum, the famous screen star is seen in the leading role, supported by an all star cast is being presented again today. The picture yesterday was witnessed by large audiences and was pronounced excellent. The role in which Mr. Farnum is seen gives him a wonderful opportunity to display his dramatic abilities. "When a Man Sees Red" is a big picture full of humanity in a red blooded strong right arm aspect. There is no exciting action in it and it is excellently directed. A comedy is included in the program Tuesday. "Over There" a selected picture starring Charles Richman and Anna Q. Nilsson will be presented for the benefit of the Navy League Wednesday. Franklyn Farnum will be seen in "The Scarlet Car," a Bluebird attraction. "My Gordon" will be seen Thursday in "Diamonds and Pearls." Friday and Saturday Jane Cowi, who has stamped herself as one of America's greatest actresses through a long gallery of stage creations will be seen in "The Spreading Dawn," a Goldwyn feature. "The Spreading Dawn" is a picture of a remarkable story by Basil King which when published in the Saturday Evening Post attracted country-wide attention.



"OVER THERE" featuring Charles Richman and Anna Q. Nilsson. The picture is being presented for the benefit of the Navy League.

"Over There," the big war drama, featuring Charles Richman and Anna Q. Nilsson will be presented Tuesday at the Paramount for the benefit of the Navy League. A large number of tickets which sell at 25 cents have been disposed of and it is expected that quite a handsome sum for the sailors will be realized. Miss Nilsson who is co-starring with Mr. Richman, had all the thrills and dangers of real ambulance driving when she undertook to rush a Red Cross machine through the No Man's Land of "Over There." In the picture Miss Nilsson who plays the part of a war nurse, was required to drive her car of wounded down a rutted road which was being shelled by the Germans. In order to get the proper realistic effect for the camera smoke pots were thrown in the path of the speeding car and these burst with considerable violence before and after, but not under the machine. Aside from the prominence of its co-stars, it is chiefly remarkable for the excellence of its battle scenes, which have been pronounced by military experts to be perfect in detail. It is a big picture built on a big theme. The expenses of the picture are being paid by Edwin S. Porter for whom the Connelville Navy League is named and Manager C. A. Wagner is donating the use of the theatre.

THE SOISSON.

MANHATTAN PLAYERS In accordance with the coal conservation movement the Soisson will be dark on Monday but will re-open Tuesday matinee with the popular Manhattan Players in the excellent comedy drama, "A Man of the Hour." No expense is being spared to give the people of Connelville and vicinity the best plays ever produced at a popular scale of prices. In "A Man of the Hour" the Manhattan seem to have hit the high water mark but a glance at the fine line of plays to follow should convince the most skeptical that this is only the beginning of really undreamed of attractions. "A Man of the Hour" will be seen Tuesday and Wednesday and at the Thursday matinee will be followed by a tremendous novelty in "The Devil" a play that brought no less a personage than David Belasco into the public eye. "The Devil" is a succession of thrills such as the stage has seldom witnessed. In the principal role is W. James B. Bell will surprise even his most loyal admirers. The Manhattan Players are breaking all records for big business at the Soisson and every afternoon and evening hundreds of out of town people are seen in the theatre in addition to Connelville playgoers.

THE ARCADE.

ZARROW'S VAUDEVILLE REVUE—This afternoon and evening Zarrows Vaudeville Revue will give its final performances at the Arcade. This company has pleased fair sized audiences all week and it is a very clever company of vaudeville artists assisted by a chorus. The picture in the last in "The Railroad Raiders" series, which was an excellent picture throughout. Coming next week is Reynolds Wonderland Girls, featuring Skeeter Quinn, a comedienne who is famous in the south and who can sing "Blue" songs. The show comes from Chattanooga where it has been the attraction at the entertainment. It is scheduled on entirely new lines, and has some surprisingly original features including Harry and Daisy De Grace in slack wire and comedy juggling, and Levitt and Levitt comedy cartoon song and patter. The show runs an hour and 15 minutes and the song numbers are new. Following next Friday a series of 17 W. S. Hart pictures will be shown at the Arcade. They include his best production in three weeks. "Vengeance"

and the Woman will follow. "The Fighting Trail" Week after next comes the return of Byrne & Byrne company, one of the best companies that ever played the Arcade.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"THE JUDGMENT HOUSE"—J. Stuart Blackton the master of screen-craft, presents "The Judgment House." This drama was written by Sir Gilbert Parker, the noted English novelist who is a personal friend of Commodore Blackton and who came from England to be present at the filming of his book. The cast is practically all-star, including Conway Tearle, Violet Fleming, Wilfred Lucas and Crazy Thauer the Indian actor. Tuesday Ma Murray is featured in "At First Sight."

TROTTER'S SHARE IN K. OF C. WAR FUND MADE A GOODLY SUM

List of Subscribers Secured by Live Local Committee.

Trotter's contribution to the Knights of Columbus War Fund was \$24.00. The subscribers, who were secured by a committee consisting of C. L. Barker, Peter Duffy, Andy Todd, Robert McManan, Fred Funk and James Burns were as follows:

Joe Shau, \$1 Frank Huba, \$1 John Miller, \$1 Joe Medrill \$1 August Kovatch \$1 John Rockas, \$1 Steve Kovatch \$1 Jake Krasack \$1 Mike Sheltz \$1 Joe Pedycki, \$1 Joe Kovach \$1 Tony Diarrak, \$1 Steve Butchko \$1 Raphael Danias \$50c, Paul Rosaly \$1 George Scotts \$1 George Barlas \$1 Andy Sheltz \$1 Dave Custer \$1 George Meyer \$1 Thomas Fanny \$1 Frank Lyons \$1 John Kusvich \$1 Matt Yopell \$1, John Guba \$1 John Greglock \$1, Carroll Blauvelt, \$1 Joe Hertzo \$1, Mike Lukotich \$1 Andy Konko, \$1 George Miller \$1 George Livingston, \$1, John Cherek \$1 Fred Rush \$1, Joe Hertzo \$1, John Pecosh \$1, John Forgash, \$1 Frank Masco, \$1 John Tolowa \$1 Steve Adams, \$1, Matt Glosso \$1 Ralph Yostelich, \$50c Paul Petronis \$1, R. J. Marrauth \$1 Pete Ziepp \$1 Joe Soltes \$1, Andy Comproski \$1 Joe Sallidick \$1 Pett Laya \$1, Thomas Stanchuk \$1 Louis Haurry \$1, Charles Sabot \$1 Steve Kovatch \$1, Oliver Verilla \$1, Andy Mikelsko \$1 Albert Neulera \$1 Ralph Puts \$1, Andy Meulscak \$1 John Spick, \$1, Mike Bautek \$1, Pete Adams \$1, Walter Crestvick \$1 Frank Pelanos \$1, John Hanly, \$1 Mike Scotts, \$1 Paul Spick \$1, John Blaznchek \$1, Carl Smutka, \$1, William Ceralough, \$1, Oster Ramon \$1, Joe Brazill, \$1 Matt Herko \$1 G. R. Miller, \$50c, Steve Sigh \$1, Frank Faus \$1 John Kovatch \$1, Nat Kekeler \$1, Joe Soltes \$1, Belk Gorka, \$1, Mike Bautek \$1, Brokup Cappianus \$1 Joe Heavilla \$1, Lem Kovach, \$1, Carl Penzina, \$1, John Hoko \$1, Henry Kurtz \$1, Mike Bobisk, \$1, Pete Bauck, \$1, Mike Torchin \$1, Nat Clustar, \$1, Frank Smutka, \$1, John Shina \$1, Andy Glosso, \$1 Steve Kovatch \$1, August Weiner \$1, Steve Brazill \$1, John Popson \$1, Joe Muhalla \$1, John Pop \$1, Altyias Vencels, \$1 Joe Wargo, \$1 Mike Hilbail, \$1, Mike Liposky, \$1 Albert Dutis, \$1 Frank Mullen, \$1, Paul Chitio \$1, Roy Shives \$1 James Ross \$1 Joe Moore, \$1 Joe Etlina, \$1, J. Charles Mertz \$2 Joe Vullen \$1 C. L. Burke \$3 Charles Arnold, \$1, Edward Burke, \$2, Joe Doyle, \$1, Poney Ross, \$1 Frank Courtie, \$1, Joe Sohl, \$1, Louis Courtie \$50c, Mike Spick \$1 Joe Onusko \$1 Edward Shives \$1, Carl Ross \$1, Dan Calvary, \$1, Mike Gogolin \$1 George Kovatch, \$1, Hugh Crowley \$1, Herbert Risenberg, \$1, Freeman Haggerty \$1, Roy Hutchinson \$1, Charles Pover \$1 John Gadinis \$1, C. A. Waters \$1, John Toth \$1, Frank Shepsky, \$1, James J. Burns \$5, Shev Shives, 2 Mike Covai, \$1, Stanley Wolf \$2 John Foglia \$2 Alex Gapper \$2, Patrick Caffery \$1 Otto Sherbo, \$1 Robert McManan \$2 Pete Duffy \$1 Mike O'Toole, \$2, Joe Frazer, \$1, Dan Murphy \$1 William McDonough \$1 Mike Spogar, \$2, Harry Miller \$1 Dan Gallagher \$1 James McMahon \$1, Andy McNulty \$1 All Mullen \$1 William Thorion, \$1 George Rudeman \$1 Thomas Gados \$2, Mike Onusko, \$2, Charles Wright \$1 Elmer Eastholm \$1 John Traynor \$1 Isaac Eastholm, \$1, Carl Gogolin \$1 John Leposky \$1, James Golia \$1 Ralph Vatalia \$1, Stines, Yadenock, \$1 Poney Condi, \$1 Marian Bella \$1 Mike Golia \$1 George Brindle \$1 John Spick, Jr. \$1, Edward Griglak, \$1, George Biko, \$1 John Davis \$1 James Roe \$1 Vobna Russ \$1 G. L. Morgan \$1, William Hennessy, \$2 Steve Todd \$1 James Caffery, \$1 Andy Todd \$3 Lewi Leposky, \$1 John Roy \$1 George Courde \$50c Stines Yadenock \$1 Joe MacPhail \$1 Steve Santoske \$1 Kiser Shults \$50c, Peter Hanes \$1 Stanley Bissada \$1 John McNulty \$1 A. J. Miller \$1 Joe Kiserneck, \$1 Elmer Frazer \$1 Stanley Conuskev \$2 Walter Kurtz \$1, P. C. Warner \$1, Fred Pink \$1 Lindsay Frazer \$1, R. G. Shiver \$1 George

Cole, \$1 Alex Sneddon \$1 John Swope \$1 Edward Frazer \$1, Clinton Parisa \$1 Mike McPhe, \$1, Norman Wallace, \$1 Joe Andy, \$1 William Shipley \$1 Henry Shemcker, \$1, R. E. Keller \$1, Joe Miskindis \$1, George McClintock \$1, E. F. Hess \$1, cash \$9 total, \$249.00

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The National Association of Owners of Railroad Securities has been incorporated under the laws of Maryland, with S. Davies Warfield of Baltimore president and A. C. Robertson president of the Peoples Savings & Trust Company, Pittsburgh and a member of the J. V. Thompson Creditors Committee is a member of the executive and advisory committee. The purposes of the association are to protect and take steps for stabilizing the securities issued by railroad and other carriers of the United States and maintaining and improving their credit.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 19—William Close of Pittsburg is spending a few days here with friends.

Austin Snyder of Anspach was here yesterday on his way to Somerset on business.

Mrs. C. L. Groff was in Connelville yesterday shopping and calling on friends.

Mrs. Charles McMillen and sister-in-law Mrs. Sue Liston of Listonburg were here yesterday on their way to Connelville to visit friends.

Mrs. Harry Shipley and son of Connelville are visiting friends here.

Mrs. E. B. Brown and Mrs. Charles Cunningham were shopping in Pittsburg yesterday.

Dr. H. J. Colless was in Rockwood yesterday transacting business.

Dr. T. J. Jacobs of Somerset, was a caller here yesterday.

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What The Word Means in Connection With Business.

When you buy a package of pancake flour from your grocer that's simply a sale but when he hands you a little book telling how to make delicious pan cakes that's service. The watchword of big business today is service just as it has been the watchword of the First National of Connelville for 42 years for that in situation just a place where you deposit your money but a bank that offers real "service" in solving your business problems and in all your financial transactions.—Adv.

To the Trade

Conforming to the order of Fuel Administrator Dr. Harry Garfield our store will be closed each Monday for 10 weeks that is from January 21st to March 25th inclusive. We shall use every effort to keep our service normal during this time. Very truly yours, W. H. Schaefer Bros.—Adv.

Midwinter clearance sale of millinery including some of the season's most desirable styles at specially low prices. At McFarland's, Apple street.—Adv.—17-31d.

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If you wish to keep on working or if you are satisfied with 4% on your savings READ THIS if you wish to know why the investors in automobile tire factories have made fortunes on small investments.

THERE IS A REASON

In most lines of new industries it requires years to get your goods before the public. You must create a demand which requires thousands of dollars spent in salesmen to meet competition and induce dealers to handle your goods. All of this must be accomplished before you can expect dividends on your investment.

This does not apply to the tire industry. The Sherman-Stiveson Tire & Rubber Co., who have their plant at Scottdale, Pa. have hundreds of letters on file from all over the country from dealers who wish territory consigned to them for the sale of our tire. All we have to do is stock them up, get their check, and that is what makes dividends.

A FEW REASONS why you should invest with us, because you can get in on the ground floor, because we have a low capitalization, because the profits in the tire business have been greater than the steel business in the past five years, because the tire business is increasing at the rate of ten million tires annually and the profits are greater than most any necessity.

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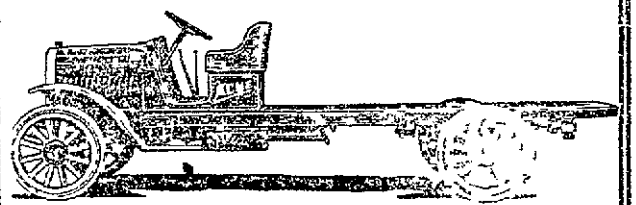
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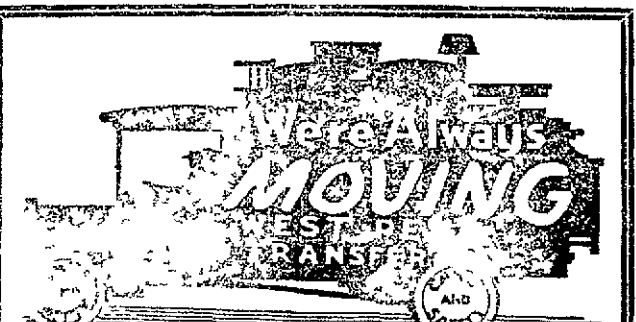
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"You don't need to look so horrified," he drawled. "I'm going straight to bed, little person. So don't fret. William will be himself again ere yet the morrow's sun shall clear the horizon. Let us avoid recrimination. Good night."

A week or so later he became suddenly and unexpectedly active. He left the house as soon as his breakfast was eaten, and he did not come home to luncheon—a circumstance which irritated Hazel, since it was one of those rare days when she herself lunched at home. Late in the afternoon he telephoned briefly that he would dine downtown. And when he did return, at nine or thereabouts in the evening, he clamped a cigar between his teeth, and fell to work cor-

grounds could be stayed. Well, a summer in the North would not be so bad, she reflected. But she hated to think of the isolation. It grieved her to contemplate exchanging her beautiful furnished apartment for a log cabin in the woods.

Still she had hopes. If he plunged into business associations with Jimmie Brooks and Paul Lorimer and others of that group, there was no telling what might happen. His interests might become permanently identified with Granville.

Bill informed her from time to time as to the progress of his venture. The company was duly incorporated, with an authorized capital of one hundred thousand dollars, five thousand dollars' worth of stock being taken out by each on a cash basis—the remaining seventy-five thousand lying in the company treasury, to be held or sold for development purposes as the five saw fit when work began to show what the claims were capable of producing.

In early March came a telegram from Whitely Lewis saying that he had signed the claims, both placer and lode; that he was bound out by the Telegraph Trail, to file at Hazleton. Bill showed her the message—wired from Station Six.

"I wish I could have been in on it—that was some trip," he said—and there was a trace of discontent in his tone. "I don't fancy somebody else pawing my chestnuts out of the coals for me. It was sure a man's job to cross the Klappan in the dead of winter."

The filing completed, there was ample work in the way of getting out and whipsawing timber to keep the five men busy till spring—the five who were on the ground. Lewis sent word that thirty feet of snow lay in the gold-bearing branch. And that was the last they heard from him. He was a performer, Bill said, not a correspondent.

So in Granville the affairs of the Free Gold Mining company remained at a standstill until the spring floods should peel off the winter blanket of the North.

Ultimately, spring overspread the eastern provinces. And when the snows of winter successively gave way to muddy streets and then to clean pavements in the city of Granville, a new sign was lettered across the windows of the brokerage office in which Paul Lorimer was housed.

FREE GOLD MINING COMPANY
P. H. Lorimer, P. J. L. Brooks, Sec.-Treas.
William Wagstaff, Manager.

So it ran. Bill was commissioned in the army of business at last.

CHAPTER XV.

A Business Journey.
"I have to go to the Klappan," Bill apprised his wife one evening. "Want to come along?"

Hazel hesitated. Her first instinctive feeling was one of reluctance to retrace the nerve-racking trail. But neither did she wish to be separated from him.

"I see you don't," he observed dryly. "Well, I can't say that I blame you. It's a stiff trip."

"I'm sorry I can't feel any enthusiasm for such a journey," she remarked candidly. "I could go as far as the coast with you, and meet you there when you come out. How long do you expect to be in there?"

"I don't know exactly," he replied. "I'm not going in from the coast, though. I'm taking the Ashcroft-Port George Trail. I have to take in a pack train and more men and get work started on a decent scale."

"But you won't have to stay there all summer and oversee the work, will you?" she inquired anxiously.

"I should," he said.

"For a second or two he drummed on the table top.
"But is there any real necessity for you to stay on the ground?" she pursued her own line of thought. "I should think an undertaking of this size would justify hiring an expert to take charge of the actual mining operations. Won't you have this end of it to look after?"

"Lorimer and Brooks are eminently capable of upholding the dignity and importance of that sign they've got smeared across the windows downtown," he observed curtly. "The chief labor of the office they've set up will be to divide the proceeds. The work will be done and the money made in the Klappan Range. You saw that, didn't you?"

"I'm not stupid," she pointed. "I'm going tomorrow," he said. "I think, on the whole, I'll be just as well if you don't go. Stay here and enjoy yourself. I'll transfer some more money to your account. I think I'll drop down to the club."

She followed him out into the hall, and as he wriggled into his coat, she had an impulse to throw her arms around his neck and declare, in all sincerity, that she would go to the Klappan or to the north pole or any place on earth with him, if he wanted her. But by some peculiar feminine reasoning she reflected in the same instant that if Bill were away from her in a few weeks he would be all the more glad to get back. That closed her mouth. It was not wise to be too meek or obedient where a husband was concerned. That was another mite of wisdom she had garnered from the wives of her circle.

So she kissed Bill good-by at the station next day with perfect good humor and no passing emotion of any particular kind. And if he were a trifle sober he showed no sign of resentment, nor uttered any futile wisher that she could accompany him.

"So long," he said from the car steps. "I'll keep in touch—all I can. Then he was gone.
Somehow, his absence made less dif-

BRITISH MACHINE GUN TROOPS OPERATING IN GERMAN SECOND TRENCH



This remarkable war photograph was taken when the British forces were at the height of their advance in the great Cambrai battle. It shows East Country troops operating their machine guns from the second German second line system, which had already been captured. When they reached this position they stopped for a moment in the thick of the battle to get ready for a few bites of hot food.

ference than Hazel had anticipated. She had secretly expected to be very lonely at first. And she was not. Even when in her hand she held a telegram dated at a point five hundred or a thousand miles or double that distance away she did not experience the feeling of complete solitary absence. She always felt as if he were near. Only at night, when there was no long run to pillow her head, no good-night kiss as she dozed into slumber, she missed him, realized that he was far away.

Early in June came a brief wire from Station Six. Three weeks later the Free Gold Mining company set up a mild ripple of excitement along Broad street by exhibiting in their office window a forty-pound heap of coarse gold; raw, yellow gold, just as it had come from the sluice. Every day knots of men stood gazing at the treasure. Bill had forwarded the first clean-up.

And close on the heels of this—ten days later, to be exact—came home. "You great bear," Hazel laughed, in the shelter of his encircling arms. "My, it's good to see you again."

She pushed herself back a little and surveyed him admiringly, with a grateful sense of proprietorship. The cheeks of him were unlined to a healthy brown, his eyes clear and shining. The offending flesh had fallen away on the strenuous paths of the Klappan. His radiated boundless vitality, strength, alertness, that perfect co-ordination of mind and body that is bred of facing resourcefully along rude ways. She thrilled at the touch of his hand, was content to lay her head on his shoulder and forget everything in the joy of his physical nearness.

They elected to spend the evening quietly at home, as they used to do. To Hazel it seemed quite like old times. Bill told her of the Klappan country, and their prospects at the mine.

"It's going to be a mighty big thing," he declared.



"Very Able Man, Your Husband, But Headstrong as the Deuce."

"I'm so glad," said Hazel.

"We've got a group of ten claims. Whitely Lewis and the original stakers hold an interest in their claims. I, acting as agent for these other fellows in the company, staked five more. I took in eight more men—and, believe me, things were humming when I left. And, say, I went in by the ranch. Old Jake has a fine garden. He's still pegging away with the mule and Gretchen, her cow. I offered him a chance to make a fat little stake at the mine, but he didn't want to leave the ranch. Great old fellow, Jake. Something of a philosopher in his way. Pretty wise old head. He'll make good, all right."

In the morning, Bill ate his breakfast anxiously downtown.
"That's the dickens of being a business man," he complained to Hazel, in the hallway. "It rides a man, once it gets hold of him. Adios, little person. I'll get out for lunch, business or no business."

Eleven-thirty brought him home, preoccupied and frowning. And he carried his frown and his preoccupation to the table.

"Whatever is the matter, Bill?" Hazel anxiously inquired.

"Oh, I've got a nasty hunch that there's a bigger in the woodpile," he replied.

And that was all he vouchsafed. He finished his luncheon and left the house. He was scarcely out of sight when Jimmie Brooks' runaway drove up at the curb. A half minute later he was ushered into the living room.

"Bill in?" was his first query.

"No, he left just a few minutes ago," Hazel told him.

Mr. Brooks, a short, heavy-set, neatly dressed gentleman, whose rather

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weak blue eyes loomed preternaturally large and protrudent behind place that straddled an insignificant stub nose, took off his glasses and twiddled them in his white, well-kept fingers. "Ah, too bad," he murmured. "Thought I'd catch him."

"By the way," he continued, after a pause, "you—ah—well, frankly, I have reason to believe that you have a good deal of influence with your husband in business matters, Mrs. Wagstaff."

"Well, I don't know; perhaps I have. Why?"

"The fact is—I hope you'll regard this as strictly confidential, Mrs. Wagstaff. I wouldn't want Bill to think I, or any of us, was trying to bring pressure on him. But the fact is, Bill's got a mistaken impression about the way we're conducting the financial end of this mining proposition. You understand? Very able man, your husband, but headstrong as the deuce. I'm afraid to speak frankly—he'll create a lot of unpleasantness. Might disrupt the company. In fact, if he sticks to his position he took this morning, I thought I'd run in and talk it over with him. Fellow's generally in a good humor, you know, when he's lunched comfortably at home."

"I'm quite in the dark," Hazel confessed. "Bill seemed a trifle put out about something. He didn't say what it was about."

"Shall I explain?" Mr. Brooks suggested. "You'd understand—and you might be able to help. I don't as a rule believe in bringing business into the home, but this bothers me. I hate to see a good thing go wrong."

"Explain, by all means," Hazel promptly replied. "If I can help, I'll be glad to."

"Thank you," Mr. Brooks polished his glasses industriously for a second and replaced them with painstaking exactitude. "Now—ah—this is the situation: When the company was formed, five of us, including your husband, took up enough stock to finance the preliminary work of the undertaking. The remaining stock, seventy-five thousand dollars in amount, was left in the treasury, to be held or put on the market as the situation warranted. With the first clean-up, Bill forwarded facts and figures to show that we had a property far beyond our greatest expectations. And, of course, we saw at once that the thing was ridiculously underpriced."

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Atrocious Treatment of the Helpless Part of Campaign Plans of Military Leaders.

POLICY OF FRIGHTFULNESS

Terrorism Declared a Necessary Principle in National Warfare—Brutalities May Be Said to Be Directly Attributable to the Emperor Himself.

The committee on public information, appointed by the president, and consisting of the secretary of state, secretary of war, secretary of the navy, and George Creel, official censor, has made public a mass of evidence dealing with German war practices which shows the Kaiser's leaders in the field and in command of captured points to be directly responsible for the heinousness which has characterized the operations of the "Huns" in the present conflict. Quotations from the pamphlet follow:

For many years leaders in every civilized nation have been trying to make warfare less brutal. The great landmarks in this movement are the Geneva and Hague conventions. The former made rules as to the care of the sick and wounded and established the Red Cross. At the first meeting at Geneva, in 1864, it was agreed, and until the present war it has been taken for granted, that the wounded, and the doctors and nurses who cared for them, would be safe from all attacks by the enemy. The Hague conventions, drawn up in 1864 and 1907, made additional rules to soften the ravages of war and especially to protect noncombatants and conquered lands. Germany took a prominent part in these meetings, and with the other nations solemnly pledged her faith to keep all the rules except one article in the Hague regulations. This was article 44, which forbade the conqueror to force any of the conquered to give information. All the other rules and regulations she accepted in the most binding manner.

But Germany's military leaders had no intention of keeping these solemn promises. They had been trained along different lines. Their leading generals for many years had been urging a policy of frightfulness. In the middle of the nineteenth century Von Clausewitz was looked upon as the greatest military authority, and the methods which he advocated were used by the Prussian army in its successful wars of 1806-1871. Consequently because these wars had been successful, the wisdom of Von Clausewitz's methods seemed to the Prussian army to be fully proved.

Policy of Frightfulness.
Now, the essence of Von Clausewitz's teachings was that successful war involves the ruthless application of force. In the opening chapter of his master work, "Von Kriege" ("On War"), he says:

"Violence arms itself with the inventions of art and science. . . . Self-imposed restrictions, almost imperceptible and hardly worth mentioning, tend to weaken the power of the army. It is without essentially impairing its power. . . . Now, philanthropic souls might easily imagine that there is a skillful method of disarming or subduing an enemy without causing too much bloodshed, and that this is the true tendency of the art of war. However plausible this may appear, still it is an error which must be destroyed; for in such dangerous things as war, the errors which proceed from a spirit of 'good-naturedness' are precisely the worst. As the use of physical force to the utmost extent by no means excludes the cooperation of the intelligence, it follows that he who uses force ruthlessly without regard to bloodshed, must obtain a superiority. If his enemy does not see this."

In 1877-78, in the course of a series of articles upon "Military Necessity and Humanity," General von Bismarck wrote, in the same spirit as Von Clausewitz:

"The enemy state must not be spared the want and wretchedness of war; these are particularly useful in shattering its energy and subduing its will. 'Individual persons may be harshly dealt with when an example is made of them, intended to serve as a warning. . . . Whenever a national war breaks out, terrorism becomes a necessary military principle.' 'It is a gratuitous illusion to suppose that modern war does not demand far more brutality, far more violence, and an action far more general than was formerly the case.'"

In 1893, Von Moltke, who had been commander in chief of the Prussian army in the Franco-Prussian war, declared:

"Perpetual peace is a dream and not even a beautiful dream. War is an element in the order of the world established by God. By it the most noble virtues of man are developed, courage and renunciation, fidelity to duty and the spirit of sacrifice—the soldier gives his life. Without war, the world would degenerate and lose itself in materialism. The soldier endures suffering, privation and fatigue, who courts dangers, cannot take only 'in proportion to the resources of the country.' He must take all that is necessary to his existence. One has no right to demand of him anything superhuman. 'The great good in war is that it should be ended quickly. In view of this, every means, except those which are positively condemnable, must be permitted. I cannot, in any way, agree with the declaration of St. Petersburg when it pretends that the weakening of the military forces of the enemy constitutes the only legitimate method of procedure in war. No! One must attack all the resources of the enemy government, his finances, his

railroads, his stock of provisions and even his prestige. . . ."

Many other examples might be cited from the writings of German generals. The very best illustration of this attitude, however, is to be found in the emperor's various speeches, and especially in his speech to his soldiers on the eve of their departure for China in 1900. On July 27 the Kaiser went to Remerhaven to bid farewell to the German troops. As they were drawn up, ready to embark for China, he addressed to them a last official message from the fatherland. The local newspaper reported his speech in full. In it appeared this advice and admonition from the emperor, the commander in chief of the army, the head of all Germany:

Soldiers Told to Be Merciless.

"As soon as you come to blows with the enemy he will be beaten. No mercy will be shown! No prisoners will be taken! As the Huns, under King Attila, made a name for themselves, which is still mighty in traditions and legends today, may the name of Germany be so fixed in China by your deeds, that no Chinese shall ever again dare even to look at a German ensign. . . . Open the way for Kultur once for all!"

Even the imperial counselors seem to have been shocked at the emperor's speech, and efforts were promptly made to suppress the circulation of his exact words. The efforts were only partly successful. A few weeks later, when the letters from the German soldiers in China were being published, in local German papers, the leading socialist newspaper, Vorwaerts, excerpted from them reports of atrocities under the title "Letters of the Huns." Many of the leaders in the rebellion felt very keenly the brutality of the emperor's speech. The obnoxious word "Huns" had excited almost universal condemnation. When the rebelling Hun, in November, the speech was openly discussed. Herr Lieber, of the center (Catholic party), after quoting the "no mercy" portion of the speech, added, "There are, also, in Germany groups enough who have regarded the atrocities told in the letters which have been published as the dutiful response of soldiers so addressed and encouraged." The leader of the social democrats, Herr Bebel, spoke even more pointedly. Toward the end of a two-hour address on the atrocities committed by the German soldiers in China and on the speech of the emperor, he said:

"If Germany wishes to be the bearer of civilization to the world, we will follow without contradiction. But the ways and means in which this world policy has been carried on thus far, in which it has been defined by the emperor. . . . are not, in our opinion, the way to preserve the world position of Germany, to gain for Germany the respect of the world."

The consequences of the emperor's speech, Bebel aptly described. "By it the signal was given, paraded in the highest authority of the German empire, which must have most weighty consequences, not only for the troops who stayed at home. An expedition of revenge so barbarous as this has never occurred in the last hundred years and not often in history; at least, nothing worse than this has happened in history, either done by the Huns, by the Vandals, by Genghis Khan, by Tamerlane, or even by Tilly when he sacked Magdeburg."

Atrocities in China.
These atrocities in China or "Letters of the Huns" continued to be published in the Vorwaerts for several years and appeared intermittently in the debates of the reichstag as late as 1906. At that time the socialist, Herr Kunert, reviewing the procedure in a trial of which he had been the victim in the previous summer, stated that he had offered to prove "that German soldiers in China had engaged in violence and brutal ravaging; that plunder, pillage, extortion, robbery, as well as rape and sexual abuses of the worst kind, had occurred on a very large scale and that German soldiers had participated in them." He had not been given an opportunity to prove his allegations, but had been sentenced to prison for three months for assailing the honor of the "whole German army." The outrageousness of this sentence was made clear by the revelations, made in the reichstag shortly afterwards, of similar atrocities committed by German officials and soldiers in Africa in the campaign against the Hereros.

For the guidance of the officers in case the inhabitants of conquered territory should take up arms against the German army, the "German War Book" quotes with approval the letter Napoleon sent to his brother Joseph:

"The security of your dominion depends on how you behave in the conquered provinces. But do not let a dozen villages which are not willing to submit themselves. Of course, not until you have first looted them; my soldiers must not be allowed to go away with their hands empty. Have three to six persons hanged in every village which has joined the revolt; pay no respect to the women" (that is, to members of the clergy).

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To serve the American troops and the hundreds of war hospitals behind the French firing line and to reach the thousands of French refugees the Red Cross commission to France has established a system of 16 large warehouses throughout France.

Six of the new warehouses have been located in Paris, which serves as the center of the distribution system. Ten other warehouses are located outside the capital. Approximately 15,000 tons of materials are now being distributed monthly from these warehouses by the Red Cross commission. Every kind of medical supplies, drugs and surgical instruments is carried in stock for the use of hospital staffs. Foodstuffs, clothing, building materials, plowing implements and tools are also being imported in large quantities for the assistance of French refugees.

American college men, many of whom formerly served as drivers in the American ambulance, are directing the work, while the force of workmen is recruited from veteran French soldiers and Belgian men no longer fit for military duty.

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The Queen of the Adriatic is Prepared to Meet the Advancing Hun.

SAFETY LIES IN LAGOONS

Populace Confident No Army Can Penetrate the Reed-Grown Area Separating Her From Italian Armies Which are Within Gun Range

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN ITALY, Dec. 15.—Correspondence of The Associated Press).—Before the menace of the modern Hun, Venice, whose lagoons centuries ago furnished an asylum of safety for refugees fleeing from Attila, is today almost empty. Of the 150,000 persons who ordinarily inhabit the city, only about 1,000 remain. But this is not because Venice fears for her own protection. Across the battlefield of the reeds it is believed that no invader will penetrate to the islands of the Venetian lagoon. The city puts her trust in the lagoons as confidently as she trusted the seas in olden times.

The Queen of the Adriatic has her face to the foe. She has shut her shops and sent her merchandise away. The army or the navy have taken her young men. Those that remain have bricked up, or sand-bagged her churches and monuments and now await in entire calm, confident that although the enemy is no more than a long gun shot away, it is not at her own gates that Venice is menaced.

From Burano, a motor-boat takes you through the maze of channels into the canal Sile where you find your way between reed covered banks toward the mainland. You can see nothing but the channel and the reeds. There is not a roof or spire in sight. We are getting up to what might be called the artillery defense line of Venice. On the way we passed a British monitor with her big guns pointed inland. The coast batteries and big gun monitors constitute another defense line. Here in the salt channel between the islands we come suddenly upon a floating battery or pontoon, as the Italians call them. It is a big steel barge mounting a gun which has been steadily pounding the Austrians on the Piave Vecchia all night. She is manned by sailors for the artillery defense of Venice is entirely in the hands of the navy.

From Forte Grandi, as far as the eye can see the land is covered with a waste of muddy water with rows of half-submerged willows parking out the fields which it covers and here and there an isolated clump of farm buildings emerging from the floods. We are here on the edge of the Piave inundations and in another naval artillery defense belt. High banked roads, dikes and farm houses are all that remain above water. Some of these farm houses are held by Austrians and some by Italians and it is the aim of both sides to destroy the farms held by the enemy. A few nights ago some Italian sailors undertook a cutting-out expedition against one of the Austrian islands, captured and burned the buildings and came back with Austrian prisoners.

Nothing more dismal can be imagined than this battlefield among the reeds except the awful desolation of the Flanders front. Undulating water, half drowned willows and farm houses under a bitter winter sky compose about as melancholy a picture as even war presents. On many of the islands formed by the release of the floods to protect Venice are brave families clinging to their homes in the hope that 1918 will see the invader thrown back.

On this sector the Italians have a superiority of artillery. It is at night that the Italian guns do their hardest work. At night the Austrians always attempt to construct field works or to lay bridges of boats across the Piave Vecchia to the canals. It is the business of the Italian floating batteries to drive away these bridge-builders and to destroy the fruits of their labors and this they do with surprising success.

In Venice, herself, I have seen no sign of actual damage, except a hole torn in the roof of San Giovanni and San Paolo by the Austrian airplane bomb. The front of San Marco and the pillars of the Doge's Palace have been bricked up so that nothing of them remains visible.

Pittstown.

PITTSBURY, Jan. 18.—Norman Clark moved his family to Indian Head on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Faith was in Scottsdale Monday shopping and visiting friends. Miss Pearl Wright has resigned the McClure school. This was the second teacher to tender her resignation in the last week in upper Tyron township.

The surprise party planned to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Wright on Saturday evening last was not held owing to the inclemency of the weather and the severe cold that prevailed all day and during the night.

Miss Bulah Ridenour spent Friday night in Scottsdale with her sister, Mrs. Emanuel Deanecker and other friends.

Misses Olive and Ruby Cramer, of Dickerson Run, were here several days last week with the family of their cousin, Mrs. Thomas Mardis and other friends.

Misses Freed and Grace Richter were the guests of friends in Scottsdale Wednesday.

Friday night's and Saturday's storm did considerable damage to fruit trees in this neighborhood. Such a storm has not been for a great many years.

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GERMANS FELL GIANT TREES ALONG THE ROAD TO OBSTRUCT THE BRITISH ADVANCE IN CAMBRAI REGION



In the recent British thrust towards Cambrai the Germans tried to place every hindrance in the path of the advancing British army. This British official photograph shows a characteristic bit of Boche work. They felled all the trees down so that they would completely block the road over which the British were advancing. A good idea of the immense size of these trees is given by comparing them with the soldiers walking along the path below.

Among The Churches

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH. Rev. Ellis B. Burgess, pastor. Catholicism class at 9 a. m.; Bible school at 10 a. m.; Luther League at 6:45 p. m. Divine service will be conducted by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning sermon, "Jeholada's Chest." Evening sermon, "Sons and Daughters of the Most High." Strangers are invited to worship with us.

FIRST UNITED BRETHREN. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11:15 a. m.; P. S. C. E. at 2:30 p. m.; Sr. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; preaching at 7:30 p. m.; morning subject, "The Light in the Cloud"; evening subject, "Moral Purity"; prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30 p. m.; strangers are welcome. J. S. Showers, pastor.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH. S. Pittsburg & Green streets. Rev. Charles E. Wagner, pastor. S. S. 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are welcome. Catechetical class Saturday afternoon at 1:30.

THE EVANGELICAL ASSOCIATION. South Conneltsville, M. B. McLaughlin, minister. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Superintendent S. A. Witt. Worship with sermons by the minister at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning topic, "Ease." Evening topic, "Preparedness." The South Conneltsville Fireman will attend the evening service at 7 p. m. The revival services will be continued during the week. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN. church, J. I. Prouditt, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45. Morning service at 11; subject of sermon, "The Saved." Evening service at 7:30; sermon to the members of the Conneltsville and South Conneltsville fire departments; subject, "God's Promise to Firemen." Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:45. Service preparatory to communion Friday evening at 7:45.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN. West Side, D. K. Clapper, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. In the absence of our regular pastor the services both morning and evening will be conducted by Rev. Amos D. Christner of Mount Pleasant. Prayer meeting and teachers meeting every Wednesday evening.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Geo. Walker Buckner, minister. Morning subject, "The Brotherhood of the Order of Nicodemus." Evening subject, "Jesus, the Preacher."

METHODIST - PROTESTANT Church, W. Apple street, J. H. Lamberton, minister. Class meeting 9:00 a. m. Sabbath School 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "Ways We Can Help One Another." C. E. meeting 6:45 p. m. Topic is, "Reaching Outward." At the evening service 7:30 p. m. the pastor's theme will be "Darkness Turned to Light." Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rocky Mt. Baptist church. Rev. V. F. Sims, pastor. Sunday, 12:30 p. m. baptizing. Mr. Philip Bass and Mr. Charles Saylor, of Adelaide, will be baptized. All welcome. 7:40 o'clock revival services will begin. Other pastors and their congregations are cordially invited to attend these services.

COVENANTER CHURCH. S. B. Houston, pastor. Sabbath school as usual. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sermon topic, "Signs of Life." Evening service at 7:30, topic, "Love for God." C. Y. P. U. at 6:45; topic, "When Africa Was a Dark Continent." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Leader C. B. Murphy.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. S. Pittsburg street, Wilbur Nelson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Public worship at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sermons by the pastor. Morning topic, "Dwelling Together in Unity." Evening topic, "Unhesitating Confidence in Christ."

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, S. Pittsburg street and Mor-

ton avenue, William J. Everhart, minister. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:45 o'clock. Evangelist R. W. Nairn, D. D., of New Concord will preach at both services. Preaching every night this week at 7:45 o'clock. Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m. Juniors and Intermediate Y. P. C. U. at 3 p. m. Senior Y. P. C. U. at 6:45 p. m.

FIFTY YEARS A MINISTER

Confluence Divine Labored Incessantly Among People of Community. Special to The Courier.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 19.—The Rev. Milton Shaw, who died January 11 at his home here at the age of 77 years, was engaged in the ministry as a local preacher for more than 50 years. He united with the Methodist Episcopal church at the age of 18 and at 25 was licensed to preach. His efforts were directed toward the salvation of the people of his home community principally. Rev. Shaw was born in Fayette county and had lived the greater part of his life near the scene of his birth. He was twice married, and was the father of 12 children. His first wife was Caroline Woodmeyer, to whom he was wedded in May, 1861. Four girls and five boys were born to this union. Two of the girls died in infancy. The mother lived and taught a devout Christian life, dying in 1896. On June 5, 1902, Rev. Shaw married Elma Parnell. To this union were born three children. The eldest died at the age of six years.

The aged minister is survived by two brothers, Jed and Henry Clay, of Confluence, one sister, Mrs. A. T. Royer, Denver, Col., his widow, and the following children: Mrs. Ella Zuffall and Mrs. L. K. Fisher, Conneltsville; Jacob L. Fort Hill; Emmett D. Pittsburg; William S. Confluence; Joseph B. and Everett M. Morgantown, W. Va., and Mary Ann and Wilma A. at home.

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At present there is not much trouble with water lines freezing but more is expected when the frost goes out. The warm weather will drive it down into the earth causing it to freeze more pipes. The water company is not having much trouble with the larger mains, although in two or three cases the smaller mains have broken, where they are not fully protected. The mains were buried deep enough when they were laid out grading for streets has removed some of the earth over the pipes.

Manitowish Bill Reported. WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A bill to create a director of munitions, not having cabinet membership but with broad authority to centralize control of all war munitions, was reported favorably today by the Senate Military committee. Another bill to establish a war council was nearly completed.

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